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SUBJECT: AFP REPORT ON BAN ME THUOT FIGHTING

1. WE WISH TO CALL THE ATTENTION OF ADDRESSEES TO AN AFP ITEM DATELINED MARCH 12 FROM SAIGON. IT CONVEYS THE COMMENTS OF A VIETNAMESE PRIEST WHO ESCAPED THE FIGHTING AT BAN ME THUOT. ACCORDING TO HIS ACCOUNT AS REPORTED BY AFP, THERE WERE VIRTUALLY NO NORTH VIETNAMESE TROOPS IN THE INITIAL ATTACK. VIET CONG TROOPS AND MONTAGNARDS OF THE FULRO MOVEMENT WERE THE ATTACKERS, HE SAID. THE PRIEST DID, HOWEVER, TESTIFY TO THE PRESENCE OF TANKS SUPPORTING THE ASSAULT.

2. WE ARE POUCHING THE TEXT OF THE AFP ITEM TO EA/VN AND EMBASSY SAIGON.

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